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Donald Lorenz Middletown Waste Disposal, Inc. 13005 Middletown Industrial Blvd. Suite 1 Louisville, KY 40223

RE: Case No. 2013-00147

Middletown Waste Disposal, Inc.

The Commission staff has reviewed Middletown Waste Disposal, Inc.'s application in the above case and finds that it met the minimum filing requirements on April 11, 2013 and has been accepted for filing.

Enclosed please find a stamped filed copy of the first page of your filing. This case has been docketed and will be processed as expeditiously as possible.

If you need further assistance, please contact my staff at 502-564-3940.

Sincerely.

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IN THE MATTER OF:

THE APPLICATION OF MIDDLETOWN WASTE DISPOSAL, INC. FOR APPROVAL OF THE TRANSFER OF STOCK

) CASE NO. 2013-00147

APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF TRANSFER

Pursuant to KRS 278.020(5) and (6), Middletown Waste Disposal, Inc. ("MWD"), by counsel, hereby petitions the Commission for approval of the transfer of 42 percent of its stock. In support of its application, MWD respectfully states as follows:

- 1. Middletown is a for-profit sewer utility that collects and treats sewage. It currently provides sewer service to approximately 201 customers in Jefferson County, Kentucky. Middletown has been owned by two stockholders, Paul Lichtefeld, Sr. and Donald Lorenz, since it began operations in 1981. Each original stockholder owned 50 percent of MWD's outstanding shares, and Mr. Lorenz managed the system on a day-to-day basis and served as its Secretary/Treasurer from his office in Taylorsville, KY.
- 2. In December 2011, Mr. Lorenz and his spouse moved to Florida because of increasingly significant health issues, and Mr. Lorenz ceased managing the MWD system on a day-to-day basis. In addition, the Taylorsville office was closed, and its office operations were transferred to 13005 Middletown Industrial Blvd. Suite I, Louisville, KY 40223 (e-mail address jwkaninberg@insightbb.com). At that point, Mr. Jack Kaninberg began managing MWD's day to day operations. Mr. Kaninberg is a former employee of the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission"), who